

**U.S. District Court**  
**District of Columbia (Washington, DC)**  
**CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:19-cv-00726-EGS**

JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. v. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF  
 JUSTICE  
 Assigned to: Judge Emmet G. Sullivan  
 Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 03/15/2019  
 Jury Demand: None  
 Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of  
 Information Act  
 Jurisdiction: U.S. Government Defendant

**Plaintiff**

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
03/15/2019	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE ( Filing fee \$ 400 receipt number 0090-6003140) filed by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC.. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons U.S. Attorney for the District of Columbia, # <u>3</u> Summons U.S. Attorney General, # <u>4</u> Summons U.S. Department of Justice)(Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 03/15/2019)
03/15/2019	<u>2</u>	LCvR 26.1 CERTIFICATE OF DISCLOSURE of Corporate Affiliations and Financial Interests by JUDICIAL WATCH, INC. (Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 03/15/2019)
03/15/2019		Case Assigned to Judge Emmet G. Sullivan. (zef, ) (Entered: 03/15/2019)
03/15/2019	<u>3</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zef, ) (Entered: 03/15/2019)
03/22/2019	<u>4</u>	STANDING ORDER: The parties are directed to read the attached Standing Order Governing Civil Cases Before Judge Emmet G. Sullivan in its entirety upon receipt. The parties are hereby ORDERED to comply with the directives in the attached Standing Order. Signed by Judge Emmet G. Sullivan on 03/22/19. (Attachment: # Exhibit 1) (mac) (Entered: 03/22/2019)
04/03/2019	<u>5</u>	RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed as to the United States Attorney. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney on 3/22/2019. ( Answer due for ALL FEDERAL DEFENDANTS by 4/21/2019.), RETURN OF

		SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed on United States Attorney General. Date of Service Upon United States Attorney General 3/22/2019., RETURN OF SERVICE/AFFIDAVIT of Summons and Complaint Executed. U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE served on 3/22/2019 (Attachments: # <a href="#">1</a> Declaration of Cristina Rotaru)(Cotca, Ramona) (Entered: 04/03/2019)
04/22/2019	<a href="#">6</a>	ANSWER to Complaint by U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.(Powers, James) (Entered: 04/22/2019)